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## LETTER IN RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION TO FILE MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith to the Notice of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office, mailed on August 4, 2005 are:

☑ Copy of Notice of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (2 pages)

Executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application (3 pages)

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Please charge my Deposit Account No. 50-1946 the amount of \$130.00 for the above-identified fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

We authorize the Commissioner to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1946 for payment of any additional fees required by this response or to credit any overpayment to the account.

Respectfully submitted,

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# NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 12/21/2004
- English Translation of the IA filed on 12/21/2004
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 12/21/2004
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 12/21/2004
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 12/21/2004
- Priority Documents filed on 12/21/2004

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Cath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application
  by the International application number and international filing date.
- \$130 Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)) is required.

#### SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

• \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

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The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.

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